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*... their importance to
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Exports play an important role in our economy and in the increasingly interdependent world economy. The United States is the world's largest exporter—currently selling \$200 billion of U.S. goods abroad—and is the world's largest economy. With 5 percent of the world's population, our country produces 24 percent of the world's industrial goods.

Exporting provides a broader marketing base for U.S. firms and is considerably more important than many Americans realize. Exports currently account for 5 million jobs in the United States. On average, 25,000 jobs are generated per \$1 billion of U.S. merchandise exports.

Many jobs depend on exports

Employment generated by exports is much greater than the number actually employed in producing the final products shipped abroad. Exports create a large demand for employment that spreads throughout our economy. This includes all the jobs needed to produce goods and services supplied to export producers, the jobs needed by the export producers to produce exports, and the jobs needed to move products to our ports or borders for transport to other countries.

Most of the export-related jobs are in manufacturing and services. According to the latest estimates, 49 percent of the jobs are in manufacturing, 37 percent in services, and 14 percent in production of nonmanufactured goods. The importance of export employment varies among the industries. About one out of every eight Americans currently employed in manufacturing is dependent on exports of manufactured goods. About one out of every six jobs producing nonmanufactured goods and one out of 24 jobs in services are export-related.

Exports affect production and employment in all industries, not just in a few major export industries. For example, while the primary metals industries directly export about \$6 billion of their products annually, an additional \$21 billion of steel and other metals are exported in the form of American-made computers, aircraft, tractors, and other manufactured goods.

Exports are of great importance to America's farmers as well. They account for \$1 of every \$4 of farm sales. Likewise, many jobs in the coal mining and mineral industries, as well as a considerable number in the fishing industry, are dependent on overseas

sales. Exports also support employment in the trucking, rail transport, insurance, and other service industries.

Exports essential

But the basic importance of exports is that they are the principal means by which America pays for its purchases from foreign countries. The United States imports proportionately far less than other major countries, but imports have become increasingly important to the American standard of living—and they have to be paid for. The other major industrial nations generally cover the cost of the goods they import by their exports. Merchandise exports and imports each account for an average of about 20 percent of the gross national product in that group of countries. American exports, however, were only 5.9 percent of GNP in 1983, while the ratio of imports to GNP stood at 7.8 percent. This gap between exports and imports is the trade deficit, which amounted to \$57.6 billion in 1983.

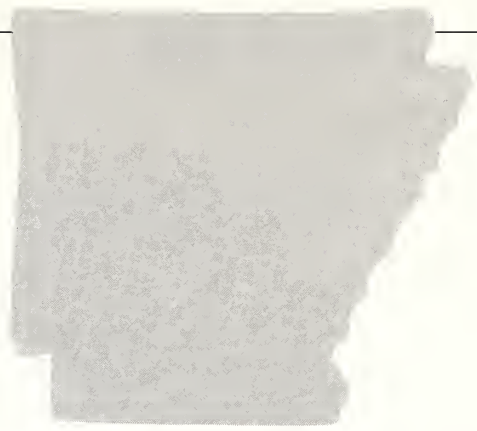
The strength of our exports means a great deal to America. Exports are important to all the 50 states, and each state plays a significant role in meeting the need to export more. This report helps explain that role and shows the significance of exports in relation to employment and production.

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Arkansas Export Highlights



Arkansas' exports of manufactured goods totaled \$1.6 billion in 1981, more than two and a half times the 1977 value. They rose three times as fast as production in the state.

An estimated 12,000 jobs in Arkansas were directly related to producing manufactured exports. About 8,700 additional jobs were required to produce materials and parts for incorporation in productions exported from the 50 states. Thus, about 20,700 jobs in Arkansas were dependent on exports of manufactured goods—about one of every ten manufacturing jobs in the state.

Manufactured exports soared

Arkansas' exports of manufactures totaled \$1.6 billion in 1981, 156 percent above the 1977 value. The state ranked 28th nationally in sales of those products to foreign countries and its exports accounted for 1 percent of the U.S. total. Exports from Arkansas firms soared and outpaced the 51 percent increase in the state's manufacturing production from 1977 to 1981.

Food manufactures, paper, chemicals, and non-electric machinery were the major manufactured exports, accounting for substantially more than one-half of the 1981 total. Electric equipment, instruments, and rubber/plastic goods were other exports shipped overseas from the state in substantial amounts.

Food manufactures was Arkansas' leading export industry. Nearly 15 percent of this industry's food production was shipped abroad in 1976. An estimated 900 jobs, most of them associated with the grain milling industry, were directly related to the \$619 million of food products sold overseas. The state ranked fourth in the country as an exporter of these products.

The second ranked Arkansas export industry was paper products with sales abroad of approximately \$290 million. Exact export, production, and employment data were withheld, however, to avoid disclosure of individual companies' data.

Chemical exports expanded 76 percent from the 1977 level, reaching \$127 million in 1981. Production rose 40 percent and exports accounted for 19 percent of this growth. These exports required 1,200 workers.

Nonelectric machinery was one of the fastest growing of Arkansas exports, expanding to \$126 million

in 1981, three and three-fourths times the 1977 value. As a result, exports generated one-quarter of the state's growth in production of nonelectric machinery. An estimated 1,500 jobs, or almost 11.4 percent of the work force in the industry were directly related to exports.

The Census Bureau has estimated that the full impact of U.S. exports on Arkansas' manufacturing activity was 13.6 percent rather than the 8.7 percent attributable to direct exports as shown in table 3. Estimates including supporting shipments of materials and parts for incorporation in products exported from 50 states are shown in tables 6 to 8. Thus, of the expanded manufacturing output generated between 1977 and 1981, 23 percent—\$1 out of every \$4—was due to export-related shipments.

Leading rice, poultry exporter

Arkansas' share of U.S. agricultural exports in FY 1982, including some manufactures of farm origin, totaled an estimated \$1.3 billion, a 41 percent increase from the FY 1977 value. Rice valued at \$438 million replaced soybeans as the state's leading export crop. The state was the number one U.S. shipper of rice to foreign markets in FY 1982. Overseas shipments of soybeans were valued at \$417 million. Arkansas was also the nation's leading exporter of poultry products; these sales totaled \$65 million.

The sharp growth in exports of agricultural products from FY 1977 to FY 1982 accounted for 41 percent of the rise in total farm sales, and added substantially to the income of Arkansas' farmers. In this period, the export contribution to each dollar of the state's farm sales increased from 38 to 39 cents.

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Explanatory Notes

State export statistics presented in this report are estimates, in contrast to national export statistics, which are compiled from export documents prepared at the time goods leave the country. This note considers the reasons for, and consequences of, that difference.

Export estimates for each state are needed in order to measure the relative impact throughout our nation of changes in goods sold abroad. National export data are compiled each month in detail by types of goods sold and summarized in large commodity aggregates and overall totals—but in order to measure exports by each state of origin, which is not identified in shippers' export documents, special studies are necessary.

This report—one in a series of reports for each state—brings together state export estimates from studies by various U.S. Government agencies on manufactured goods, agricultural products, fishery products, and selected minerals. Overall totals for all goods exported from each state are not shown since these studies differ in methodology, frequency, export valuation, and U.S. geographic coverage, and the manufactures and agricultural studies somewhat overlap the products covered.

Manufactured Exports in this report relate to manufactures as defined in the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) and include manufactured food, mineral fuel products, fats, oils, firearms, and ammunition not typically part of the Standard International Trade Classification (SITC) definition of manufactures. For the United States as a whole, exports of these additional products totaled \$28.5 billion in 1981. Exports, normally valued at the port of exportation, are adjusted to f.o.b. plant values to make accurate comparisons with production (shipments) data.

The state estimates for manufactured goods are based on surveys of manufacturers conducted by the Industry Division of the Bureau of the Census. These studies are for selected years; cover the continental United States, Alaska, and Hawaii; and present data classified by the 20 major SIC industry groups (2-digit). Tables 1 to 3 show

the value of state exports and state production, and the number of workers employed in manufacturing plants producing the finished goods for direct shipment to foreign destinations.

State economies also benefit from manufactured goods produced for ultimate export through other states, and from jobs related to manufactured exports which are generated in nonmanufacturing industries. In the table below, percentages show the full impact of export-related manufactures on state employment. Tables 6 to 8 show the percent of production and the value of state export-related manufactures—direct exports plus indirect exports or the value of materials and parts incorporated in products exported from elsewhere in the nation—and the number of state export-related workers employed in manufacturing plants producing these goods. Table 8 also shows the total number of workers related to manufactured exports—in manufacturing plus the number in nonmanufacturing industries supporting manufactured exports by supplying materials or services such as forwarding, warehousing, transport, and other foreign trade-related services.

Agricultural Exports relate to food products other than those from marine sources, unmanufactured tobacco, and other agricultural products simply processed such as fibers, raw hides and skins, fats and oils, wine and beverages other than distilled types.

The state estimates for agricultural exports are from studies prepared by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Exports reflect shares in national exports according to each state's production and sales data. Export values were obtained by multiplying each state's share of farm production by commodity times the total export value for each of the respective commodities. These annual studies are for fiscal years ending September 30 and for all states except Alaska, and show data classified by 18 commodity groups. Tables 4 and 5 show the value of state exports and the percent of farm sales.

Other Exports—Fishery products, various minerals, and fuel export estimates shown in the Highlights on page 1 for selected states are from studies prepared by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), the U.S. Department of Interior, and the U.S. Department of Energy, respectively. Exports generally reflect shares in national exports according to state production.

Annual Exports and Employment Related to Manufactured Exports

	Manufactured exports	Manufacturing employment		Total employment, including nonmanufacturing employment	
	(million dollars)	(thousands)	Percent of manufacturing employment	(thousands)	Percent of civilian employment
Arkansas *					
1976	651	14.7	7.8	25.6	3.1
1977	626	13.4	6.8	24.4	2.9
1980	1,294	18.7	9.4	38.3	4.2
1981	1,604	20.7	10.5	40.8	4.3
United States					
1976	83,098	2,125.4	11.3	3,452.1	4.0
1977	85,796	1,990.2	10.2	3,258.2	3.6
1980	151,216	2,639.3	12.8	4,808.3	4.8
1981	164,283	2,603.8	12.8	4,794.0	4.7

* Arkansas export-related manufactures were as follows in million dollars: 1976, 1,092; 1977, 1,086; 1980, 2,121; and 1981, 2,524. About 23 percent of the increase in Arkansas manufacturing production from 1977 to 1981 was generated by growth in export-related manufactures.

TABLE 1

Arkansas Manufactured Exports, Production, and Employment, 1981

- Arkansas' leading manufactured exports were food products, paper, chemicals and nonelectric machinery.
- These four industries accounted for 72 percent of Arkansas' total exports of manufactures.

Industry group	Production (million dollars)	Estimated exports	Exports as percent of production	Estimated employment related to exports (thousands)	Employment related to exports as percent of total employment
Total ¹	18,510	1,604	8.7	12.0	6.1
Food and kindred products	4,182	619	14.8	1.9	6.3
Paper and allied products	(¹)	290*	--	(¹)	--
Chemicals and allied products	1,023	127	12.4	1.2	14.5
Machinery, except electric	1,018	126	12.4	1.5	11.4
Electric and electronic equipment	2,010	109	5.4	1.3	5.4
Instruments and related products	201	70	34.9	1.4	41.2
Fabricated metal products	1,004	63	6.3	0.8	5.9
Rubber and plastic products	708	54	7.6	0.8	10.1
Primary metal industries	1,011	34	3.4	0.2	3.0
Textile mill products	318	24	7.5	0.4	10.0
Lumber and wood products	1,336	19	1.4	0.1	0.5
Transportation equipment	480	17	3.6	0.1	1.7
Misc. manufacturing industries	137	14	9.9	0.2	7.1
Apparel and textile products	333	9	2.6	(²)	--
Furniture and fixtures	400	7	1.7	0.1	1.2
Petroleum and coal products	1,636	6	0.4	(²)	--
Stone, clay, and glass products	347	2	0.7	(²)	--
Leather and leather products	222	2	1.0	(²)	--
Printing and publishing ³	435	1	0.3	(²)	--

¹ Total includes estimated exports, production values, and employment numbers which are withheld for certain industry groups to avoid disclosure of individual companies' data. ² Less than 50 employees. ³ 1980. -- Not applicable. * Partly estimated.

TABLE 2

Arkansas Growth in Manufactured Exports

- 1981, Arkansas' manufactured exports totaled \$1.6 billion, over two and one-half times the 1977 value.
- Two-fifths the increase stemmed from growth in food products exports.

Industry group	Export value (million dollars)					Percent increase from 1977 to 1981		Export increase as percent of production increase 1977-81
	1960	1969	1972	1977	1981	Exports	Pro- duction	
Total ¹	74	204	320	625	1604	156	51	16
Food and kindred products	55	120-135	244	207	619	200	47	31
Paper and allied products	2	5-10	10-24	102	290*	183*	(²)	--
Chemicals and allied products	(²)	5-10	(²)	72	127	76	40	19
Machinery, except electric	2	8	6	34	126	274	63	24
Electric and electronic equipment	(²)	5-10	10	55	109	98	65	7
Instruments and related products	(²)	5-10	(²)	(²)	70	--	--	--
Fabricated metal products	(²)	4	6	34	63	88	37	11
Rubber and plastic products	(²)	2	11	21	54	159	27	22
Primary metal industries	(²)	1-5	(²)	15	34	123	60	5
Textile mill products	(³)	1-5	(²)	13	24	81	22	19
Lumber and wood products	5	10-25	(²)	13	19	49	30	2
Transportation equipment	(²)	1-5	(²)	25	17	-30	48	0
Misc. manufacturing industries	3	5-10	(²)	8	14	62	6	72
Apparel and textile products	1	1-5	(²)	4	9	91	5	24
Furniture and fixtures	(²)	0-1	(²)	4	7	82	9	9
Petroleum and coal products	(²)	0-1	(²)	1	6	638	275	(⁴)
Stone, clay, and glass products	(²)	0-1	(²)	1	2	380	24	3
Leather and leather products	1	1-5	(²)	1	2	340	29	3
Printing and publishing	(²)	0-1	(²)	(²)	1⁵	--	--	--

¹ Totals for all years include values for industry groups which are not shown separately. ² Not available. ³ Less than \$500,000. ⁴ Less than one half of one percent. ⁵ 1980 * Partly estimated. -- Not applicable.

TABLE 3

United States Manufactured Exports by State

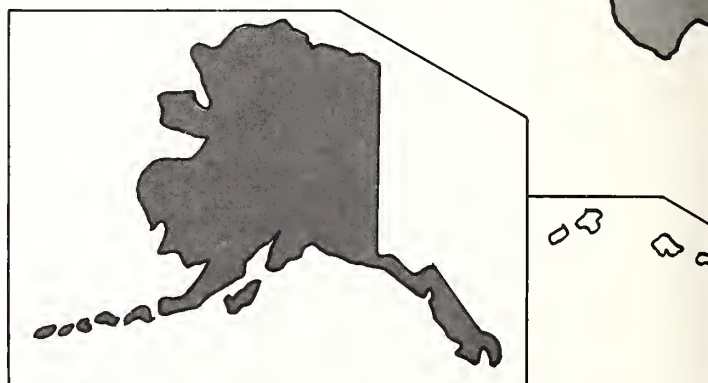
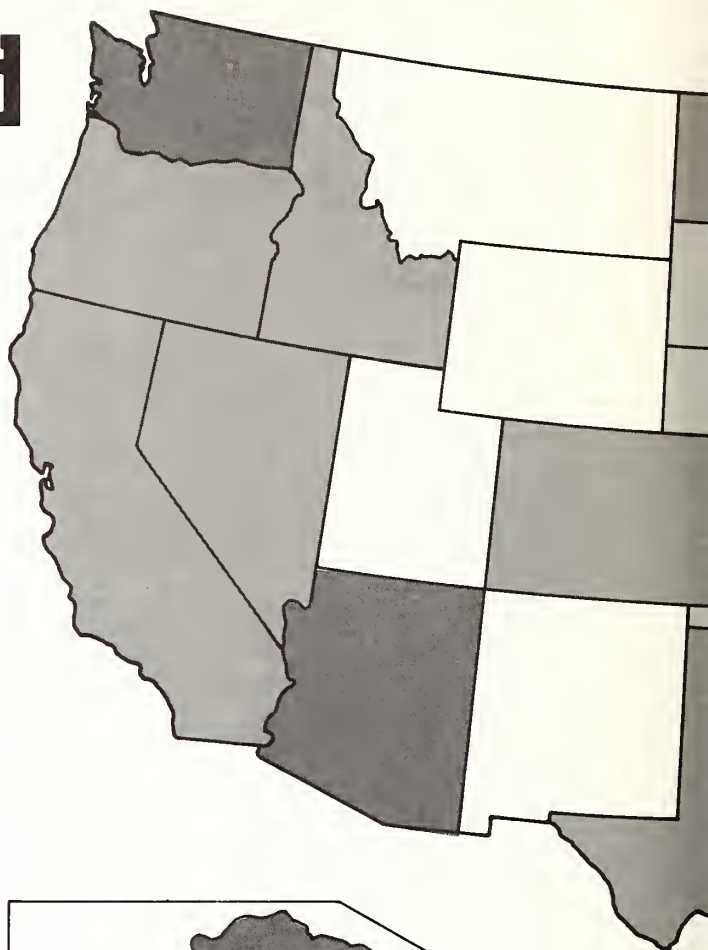
- California, Texas, Illinois, Ohio, and Michigan continued to be the top five exporters of manufactures in 1981.
- Manufactured exports totaled \$2 billion or more for almost half of the 50 states.

State	Rank as exporter in 1981	Export value (million dollars)				Percent increase from 1977 to 1981	Estimated exports as percent of state production	Employment related to exports as percent of state employment
		1969	1972	1977	1981			
U.S., total	--	29,210	36,608	85,796	164,283	91	8.1	7.3
California	1	2,721	2,809	9,116	18,775	106	9.8	9.7
Texas	2	1,468	1,982	5,386	11,687	117	6.5	7.2
Illinois	3	2,343	2,902	6,313	10,369	64	8.2	6.9
Ohio	4	2,338	3,054	6,028	10,353	72	8.5	7.9
Michigan	5	2,613	3,522	6,937	10,275	48	9.8	7.6
New York	6	2,296	2,795	5,833	10,155	74	8.5	6.5
Washington	7	954	1,781	2,805	9,023	222	24.5	21.9
Pennsylvania	8	1,902	2,351	4,714	8,129	72	7.1	6.9
Massachusetts	9	818	920	2,310	5,096	121	10.6	8.6
Indiana	10	998	1,404	2,942	5,008	70	7.1	7.0
North Carolina	11	739	705	2,291	4,682	104	7.5	5.0
New Jersey	12	1,114	1,328	2,881	4,469	55	6.1	5.8
Wisconsin	13	785	916	2,132	4,031	89	7.4	7.4
Louisiana	14	396	541	1,494	3,725	149	6.4	6.6
Florida	15	426	567	1,583	3,352	112	9.1	6.6
Virginia	16	581	716	1,573	3,344	113	9.3	6.7
Tennessee	17	472	679	1,501	3,285	119	8.0	5.6
Connecticut	18	659	848	1,662	3,083	85	10.2	8.2
Missouri	19	634	577	1,682	3,013	79	7.3	6.2
Minnesota	20	492	654	1,605	2,730	70	7.7	7.1
Iowa	21	412	590	1,578	2,705	71	8.1	8.2
Georgia	22	428	580	1,419	2,505	76	5.3	4.8
South Carolina	23	254	312	1,150	2,230	94	8.0	5.5
Alabama	24	318	287	895	1,936	116	6.3	5.5
Kentucky	25	345	451	1,354	1,935	43	6.4	5.1
Oregon	26	240	237	906	1,724	90	9.2	9.0
Arizona	27	157	266	680	1,639	141	13.1	15.4
Arkansas	28	204	320	626	1,604	156	8.7	6.1
Kansas	29	241	283	689	1,517	120	5.7	7.6
Oklahoma	30	158	252	639	1,515	137	6.0	7.3
Colorado	31	157	245	668	1,283	92	7.5	8.6
Maryland	32	362	314	634	1,219	92	5.7	5.3
West Virginia	33	235	295	438	1,199	174	10.0	6.1
Mississippi	34	181	236	718	1,159	61	5.9	4.6
Nebraska	35	100	134	328	945	188	6.1	6.3
Alaska	36	33-48	(¹)	374	653	75	33.4	32.5
New Hampshire	37	74	103	290	637	120	8.8	8.9
Rhode Island	38	110	107	297	586	98	7.7	6.8
Maine	39	77	83	232	498	114	5.5	5.6
Idaho	40	35	27	246	460	87	9.2	6.8
Utah	41	48	127	173	449	159	4.6	5.8
Delaware	42	124	128	155	375	142	4.1	3.7
Vermont	43	52	52	183	229	25	6.3	6.0
South Dakota	44	13	(¹)	95	185	96	6.3	4.5
North Dakota	45	7	14	73	156	114	6.6	7.9
Nevada	46	10-25	7	31	105	238	6.8	5.1
Hawaii	47	10-25	(¹)	26	96	265	2.7	2.3
New Mexico	48	16	18	37	64	73	2.0	0.9
Montana	49	14	(¹)	59	61	4	1.4	1.8
Wyoming	50	1-5	(¹)	6	18	192	0.6	--

¹ U.S. total includes values withheld to avoid disclosure for individual companies or because estimate did not meet publication standards. -- Not applicable.

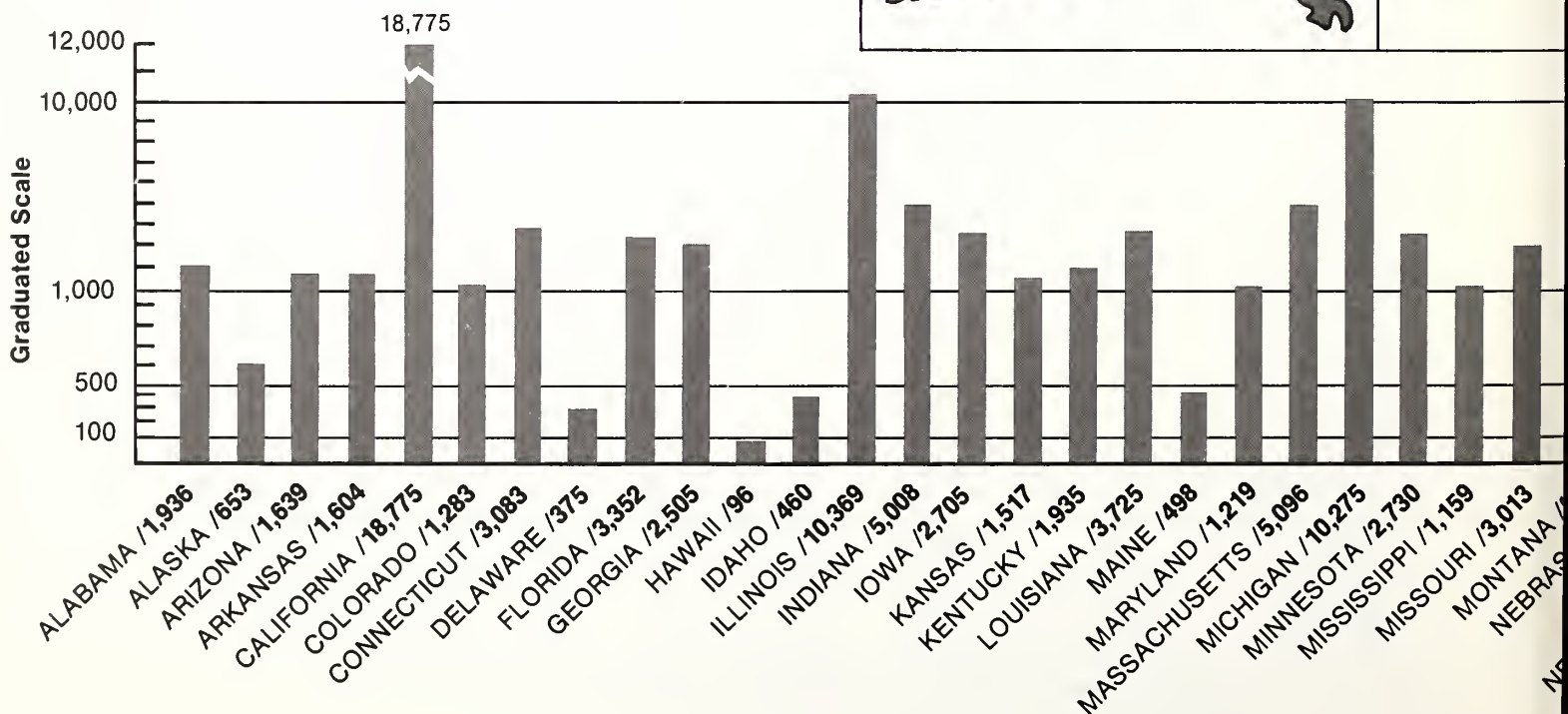
U.S. Manufactured Exports by State

- All 50 states shared in U.S. exports of manufactures.
- Exports accounted for varying percentages of domestic production



Estimated Value of Exports of Manufactures, 1981

(in millions of dollars)



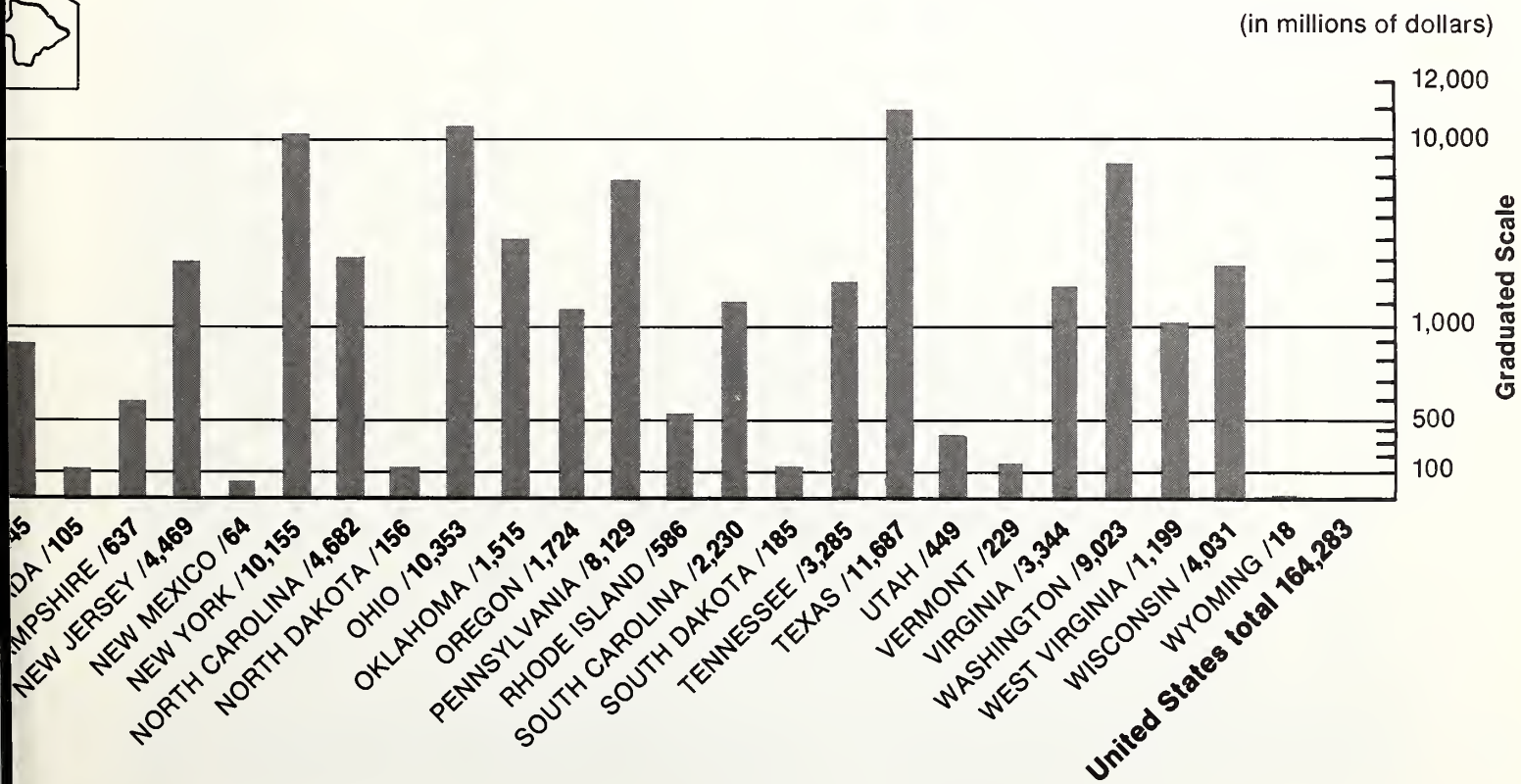


TABLE 4

Arkansas Agricultural Exports*

- In fiscal 1982, Arkansas's share of U.S. agricultural exports totaled \$1,283 million, over one and a third times the 1977 value.
- Rice and soybeans were the leading farm exports from the state.

Product	Estimated exports (million dollars)				Percent increase 1977 to 1982
	FY 1968	FY 1972	FY 1977	FY 1982	
Total	255	352	907	1,283	41
Rice	81	79	238	438	84
Soybeans and products	92	157	348	417	41
Wheat and products	16	6	39	201	419
Cotton	32	62	114	84	-27
Poultry and products	7	8	32	65	103
Feed grains and products	1	2	16	20	31
Meats and products	(¹)	2	7	16	134
Hides and skins	1	2	9	10	14
Cottonseed and products	1	8	13	9	-31
Fats, oils, and greases	1	3	8	9	13
Fruits and preparations	1	1	1	1	27
Nuts and preparations	(¹)	(¹)	(²)	1	--
Vegetables and preparations	1	1	2	1	-76
Dairy products	(²)	(²)	(²)	1	400
Other products	22	20	83	12	-85

* Exports reflect shares in national exports according to each state's production.

¹ Less than \$500,000. ² Not available. -- Not applicable.

TABLE 5

United States Agricultural Exports* by State

- Exports accounted for over one fourth of total U.S. farm sales in FY 1982 and for more than 25 percent of sales from 20 of the states.
- Illinois, Iowa, California, and Texas each exported more than \$2 billion of farm products.

State	Rank as exporter FY 1982	Export value (million dollars)				Percent increase FY 1977 to FY 1982	Exports as percent of farm sales ¹ FY 1982
		FY 1968	FY 1972	FY 1977	FY 1982		
U.S., total	--	²6,315	8,050	24,013	²39,094	63	27.5
Illinois	1	585	758	2,539	3,306	30	43.3
Iowa	2	392	620	2,042	3,026	48	28.9
California	3	413	592	1,774	2,854	61	20.6
Texas	4	551	456	1,761	2,569	46	25.4
Minnesota	5	226	347	918	1,883	105	29.4
Nebraska	6	230	283	988	1,808	83	26.4
Kansas	7	296	365	998	1,628	63	29.3
Indiana	8	252	384	1,319	1,559	18	36.6
Missouri	9	174	317	766	1,404	83	34.4
North Dakota	10	166	250	554	1,326	149	50.7
Arkansas	11	255	352	907	1,283	41	39.2
North Carolina	12	366	420	964	1,247	29	29.8
Ohio	13	194	262	957	1,052	10	31.6
Washington	14	152	163	414	946	129	33.0
Mississippi	15	164	230	648	787	21	35.8
Oklahoma	16	115	108	410	781	90	26.9
Michigan	17	92	107	318	753	137	28.2
Kentucky	18	69	132	473	731	55	24.7
Georgia	19	132	173	476	706	48	21.7
South Dakota	20	95	124	210	655	212	23.8
Louisiana	21	155	191	543	626	15	37.4
Colorado	22	63	98	239	612	156	19.6
Wisconsin	23	59	104	263	592	125	11.9
Tennessee	24	102	143	390	590	51	31.0
Florida	25	101	148	390	586	50	14.2
Montana	26	107	101	322	559	74	37.9
Idaho	27	66	91	262	551	110	24.6
Alabama	28	56	102	332	481	45	21.7
Oregon	29	49	65	182	423	132	24.1
South Carolina	30	107	135	312	407	30	35.6
Arizona	31	61	70	285	404	42	23.3
Virginia	32	80	92	225	384	71	23.5
Pennsylvania	33	65	42	137	246	79	8.3
New York	34	63	44	109	214	96	8.2
Maryland	35	35	41	136	188	39	17.9
New Mexico	36	24	28	82	121	48	13.6
Wyoming	37	8	16	38	95	154	15.8
Utah	38	14	19	55	80	45	14.7
Delaware	39	15	14	53	73	38	18.5
New Jersey	40	19	11	38	65	72	13.9
Hawaii	41	16	17	59	41	-30	8.4
Maine	42	6	5	28	28	1	6.5
Massachusetts	43	5	6	12	24	105	7.6
Nevada	44	2	4	10	22	118	10.5
West Virginia	45	6	4	11	22	97	9.5
Connecticut	46	8	12	22	15	-32	4.6
Vermont	47	2	4	3	8	138	1.9
New Hampshire	48	1	1	2	4	89	3.6
Rhode Island	49	⁽³⁾	⁽³⁾	1	1	11	3.1
Alaska	50	⁽⁴⁾	⁽⁴⁾	⁽⁵⁾	⁽⁴⁾	--	--

* Exports reflect shares in national exports according to each state's production. ¹ Commercial sales plus net Commodity Credit Corporation loans and purchases under price support programs. ² Includes exports that were not apportioned among states. ³ Less than \$500,000. ⁴ Not available. ⁵ Less than \$100,000. -- Not applicable.

TABLE 6

Arkansas Manufactured Production, Export-Related Manufactures and Employment, 1981

- About 1 out of 9 Arkansas jobs in manufacturing are due to exports.
- Three industries—food products, electric equipment, and nonelectric machinery—accounted for 34 percent of Arkansas' export-related jobs in manufacturing.

Industry group	Production (million dollars)	Export-related manufactures	Export related as percent of production	Employment for export- related manufactures (thousands)	Employment for export related as percent of total employment
Total ¹	18,510	2,524	13.6	20.7	10.5
Food and kindred products	4,182	695	16.6	2.5	8.3
Paper and allied products	(¹)	380*	--	(¹)	--
Chemicals and allied products	1,023	235	23.0	1.8	21.6
Primary metal industries	1,011	202	20.0	1.3	19.6
Electric and electronic equipment	2,010	189	9.4	2.5	10.4
Machinery, except electric	1,018	168	16.5	2.1	15.9
Fabricated metal products	1,004	121	12.0	1.6	11.7
Lumber and wood products	1,337	108	8.0	1.4	7.1
Rubber and plastic products	708	98	13.9	1.3	16.4
Petroleum and coal products	1,636	86	5.2	0.1	7.1
Instruments and related products	201	74	36.8	1.5	44.1
Textile mill products	318	41	12.9	0.6	14.9
Transportation equipment	480	33	6.8	0.3	5.1
Stone, clay, and glass products	347	19	5.5	0.2	4.1
Misc. manufacturing industries	137	15	11.1	0.2	7.1
Apparel and textile products	333	12	3.5	0.1	0.8
Furniture and fixtures	400	10	2.5	0.2	2.3
Printing and publishing ²	435	8	1.7	0.1	1.1
Leather and leather products	222	3	1.2	(³)	--

¹ Total includes estimated production and export-related values, and employment numbers which are withheld for certain industry groups to avoid disclosure of individual companies' data. ² 1980. ³ Less than 50 employees. -- Not applicable. * Partly estimated.

TABLE 7

Arkansas Growth in Export-Related Manufactures

- The 132 percent growth in the value of export-related manufactures from 1977 to 1981 was much faster than the rate of expansion in production.
- Over one-third of the increase in food production and chemicals output was generated by growth in export-related manufactures.

Industry group	Export-related manufactures (million dollars)		Percent increase from 1977 to 1981		Export-related increase as percent of production increase 1977-81
	1977	1981	Export related	Pro- duction	
Total	1,086	2,524	132	51	23
Food and kindred products	243	695	186	47	34
Paper and allied products	154	380*	146*	(¹)	--
Chemicals and allied products	128	235	85	40	37
Primary metal industries	94	202	114	60	29
Electric and electronic equipment	99	189	90	65	11
Machinery, except electric	60	168	179	63	28
Fabricated metal products	70	121	73	37	19
Lumber and wood products	61	108	76	30	15
Rubber and plastic products	51	98	92	27	31
Petroleum and coal products	9	86	824	275	6
Instruments and related products	(¹)	74	--	--	--
Textile mill products	24	41	69	22	30
Transportation equipment	30	33	10	48	2
Stone, clay, and glass products	9	19	117	24	15
Misc. manufacturing industries	10	15	52	6	72
Apparel and textile products	7	12	67	5	28
Furniture and fixtures	6	10	62	9	11
Printing and publishing	(¹)	8 ²	--	--	--
Leather and leather products	1	3	180	29	4

¹ Not available. ² 1980. -- Not applicable. *Partly estimated.

Note: Totals include values for industry groups which are not shown separately.

TABLE 8

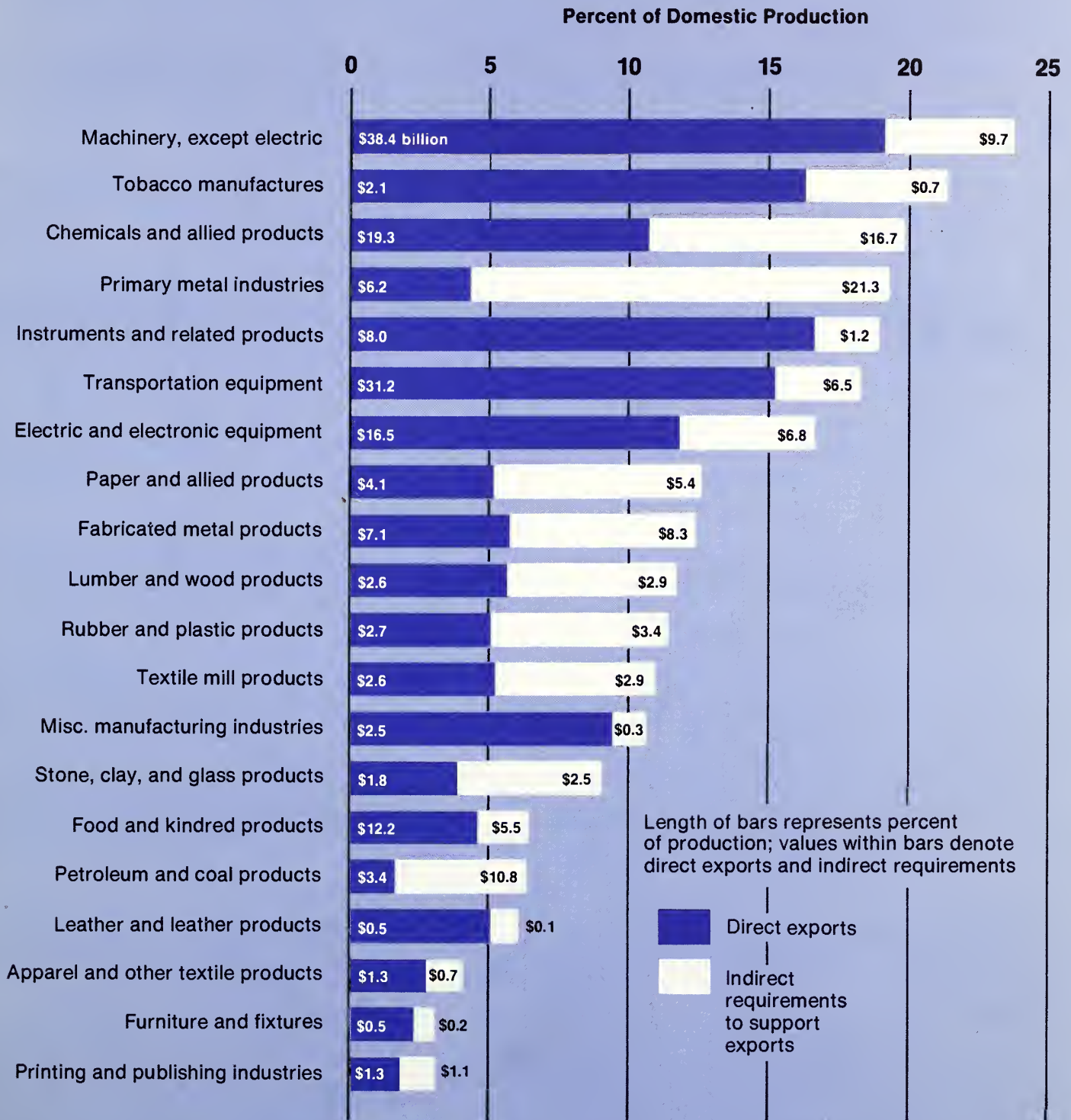
United States Export-Related Manufactures and Employment by State

- California, New York, Texas, Pennsylvania, and Ohio led the states with the largest number of jobs related to manufactured exports.
- Employment rates were highest in Connecticut, Washington, Ohio, and Delaware for jobs in all industries related to manufactured exports.

State	Rank as export related in 1981	Export-related manufactures				Employment for export related as percent of manufacturing employment	Total employment related to manufactured exports	
		1977 (million dollars)	1981	Percent increase from 1977 to 1981	Percent of state production 1981		(thousands)	Percent of civilian employment
U.S., total	--	142,404	271,703	91	13.4	12.8	4,794.0	4.7
California	1	13,319	27,399	106	14.2	14.5	526.5	4.7
Texas	2	9,196	22,651	146	12.5	12.7	285.5	4.2
Ohio	3	11,047	18,132	64	14.8	14.7	284.0	6.2
Illinois	4	10,216	17,039	67	13.4	12.9	275.4	5.4
Michigan	5	10,975	15,512	41	14.7	14.6	218.9	5.7
Pennsylvania	6	8,955	15,485	73	13.4	13.2	284.1	5.5
New York	7	8,894	15,260	72	12.7	11.4	372.0	4.9
Washington	8	3,716	10,773	190	29.2	26.3	121.9	6.5
Indiana	9	5,784	9,692	68	13.7	13.3	140.3	5.8
New Jersey	10	4,880	8,204	68	11.2	11.9	175.0	5.4
North Carolina	11	3,883	7,808	101	12.5	9.8	150.3	5.5
Massachusetts	12	3,498	7,425	112	15.4	14.2	155.1	5.6
Louisiana	13	2,734	7,415	171	12.8	11.9	63.7	3.6
Wisconsin	14	3,607	6,590	83	12.0	13.0	114.9	5.3
Tennessee	15	2,716	5,567	105	13.4	10.3	102.5	5.3
Virginia	16	2,480	5,163	108	14.3	11.1	88.3	3.6
Georgia	17	2,723	4,981	83	10.5	9.7	106.1	4.3
Florida	18	2,294	4,965	116	13.4	10.8	129.9	3.0
Connecticut	19	2,687	4,886	82	16.2	14.9	103.5	7.1
Missouri	20	2,834	4,861	72	11.7	11.1	94.7	4.3
South Carolina	21	2,117	4,194	98	15.0	11.7	76.4	5.5
Minnesota	22	2,298	4,135	80	11.6	12.4	90.9	4.5
Alabama	23	2,061	4,024	95	13.1	11.0	71.1	4.6
Iowa	24	2,228	3,940	77	11.8	12.0	60.0	4.5
Kentucky	25	2,367	3,751	58	12.3	10.6	58.7	3.9
Oregon	26	1,498	2,801	87	14.8	14.5	58.7	4.7
Oklahoma	27	1,044	2,752	164	10.8	12.4	54.5	4.0
Kansas	28	1,158	2,678	131	10.1	12.4	47.2	4.3
Arkansas	29	1,086	2,524	132	13.6	10.5	40.8	4.3
Arizona	30	1,050	2,461	134	19.7	20.5	53.7	4.4
West Virginia	31	1,108	2,361	113	19.7	14.6	30.7	4.2
Maryland	32	1,327	2,348	77	11.0	10.8	53.8	2.6
Mississippi	33	1,111	2,066	86	10.4	8.2	36.9	3.7
Colorado	34	976	1,922	97	11.1	12.7	49.4	3.3
Nebraska	35	576	1,477	156	9.5	10.0	24.4	3.3
Utah	36	416	1,050	153	10.6	10.3	20.5	3.3
Rhode Island	37	540	1,018	88	13.4	12.0	24.9	5.8
New Hampshire	38	455	994	119	13.6	14.1	24.3	5.5
Maine	39	425	924	118	10.1	9.9	20.9	4.5
Delaware	40	346	852	146	9.4	13.5	15.1	6.1
Idaho	41	381	740	94	14.7	11.7	15.4	3.9
Alaska	42	393	711	81	36.3	34.1	6.3	3.3
Vermont	43	287	451	57	12.3	11.6	10.1	4.0
Montana	44	182	327	80	7.6	7.5	7.9	2.2
South Dakota	45	130	267	105	9.1	7.9	8.1	2.6
North Dakota	46	98	242	147	10.2	11.1	7.8	2.6
New Mexico	47	109	235	116	7.2	4.6	9.5	1.7
Hawaii	48	66	232	252	6.3	4.5	6.4	1.5
Nevada	49	70	205	192	13.1	10.1	5.4	1.2
Wyoming	50	43	180	320	5.6	4.4	5.1	2.1

Exports of U.S. Manufacturing Industries Related to Domestic Production, 1981

Direct Exports and Indirect Requirements to Support Exports



Note: Percentages shown for each industry indicate the total relative impact of exports on the domestic economy, including direct exports and goods shipped from domestic establishments for use as inputs in manufactured products exported from other establishments. Such inputs are included in domestic production industry totals.

Leading bromine exporter

As the nation's leading exporter and producer of bromine, Arkansas was the source of a substantial part of the estimated \$12 million national exports of this product in 1981. The state also sold a small amount of bauxite abroad.

Export employment grew

Arkansas' \$1.6 billion worth of manufactured exports provided direct employment for an estimated 12,000 in 1981. Those jobs constituted 6.1 percent of the total manufacturing employment in the state. From 1977 to 1981 the number of workers engaged in the production of manufactures was virtually unchanged, while employment directly related to exports grew by more than 50 percent. Over 60 percent of these workers were concentrated in the food products, nonelectric machinery, instruments, electric equipment, and chemicals industries. These jobs accounted for between 5 and 41 percent of the work force in those industries.

In addition, an estimated 8,700 jobs were required in the state to manufacture products used by other establishments in the United States as inputs for

manufactures that were ultimately exported. Thus, an estimated 20,700 jobs in Arkansas were directly or indirectly dependent on exports of manufactured goods. This was 10.5 percent of all manufacturing employment in the state.

One-third of the jobs dependent on manufactured exports were concentrated in the food products, electric equipment, and nonelectric machinery industries. These jobs accounted for one out of six jobs in the nonelectric machinery industry and one out of ten/twelve jobs in the electric equipment and food product industries.

An additional 20,100 jobs were generated in non-manufacturing industries that supply materials and services supporting manufactured exports. Arkansas' total employment related to manufactured exports amounted to 40,800.

It is estimated that Arkansas' farm employment related to exports in 1981 amounted to about 25,900 or about one out of every three farmers. This estimate assumes that the number of farmers dependent on exports corresponds to the ratio of exports to farm sales in the state. Depending on numerous variables, including the character of the product, mechanization, and degree of intensiveness of farming, it may somewhat understate or overstate the actual number dependent on exports.

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